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13. ABSTRACT (Maximum 200 Words) This Directive establishes the National Imagery and Mapping Agency (NIMA) within the Department of Defense consistent with the authorities and duties of the Secretary of Defense and the Director of Central Intelligence (DCI) under Titles 10 and 50 of the United States Code, EO 12333, and the National Imagery and Mapping Agency Act of 1996. This Directive prescribes the NIMA's mission, organization, responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by Section 113 and Chapters 8 and 22 of Title 10, United States Code, and in accordance with Titles 10 and 50 of the United States Code and the National Imagery and Mapping Agency Act of 1996. This Directive replaces DoD Directives 5105.40 and 5105.56.					
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SUBJECT: National Imagery and Mapping Agency (NIMA)

References:

- (a) Title 10, United States Code
- (b) Title 50, United States Code
- (c) Executive Order 12333, "United States Intelligence Activities," December 4, 1981
- (d) National Imagery and Mapping Agency Act of 1996
- (e) through (o), see enclosure 1

A. PURPOSE

This Directive:

1. Establishes the NIMA within the Department of Defense consistent with the authorities and duties of the Secretary of Defense and the Director of Central Intelligence (DCI) under references (a), (b), (c), and (d).

2. Prescribes the NIMA's mission, organization, responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by Section 113 and Chapters 8 and 22 of reference (a), and in accordance with references (a), (b), and (d).

3. Replaces DoD Directives 5105.40 and 5105.56 (references (e) and (f)).

B. APPLICABILITY

This Directive applies to the Office of the Secretary of Defense, the Military Departments, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Combatant Commands, the Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense, the Defense Agencies, and the DoD Field Activities (hereafter referred to collectively as "the DoD Components") and other Federal Departments and Agencies on matters related to the statutory NIMA mission.

C. DEFINITIONS

Terms used in this Directive are defined in enclosure 2.

D. MISSION

The NIMA shall provide timely, relevant, and accurate imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information in support of the national security objectives of the United States.

E. ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT

The NIMA is hereby established as a Defense Agency of the Department of Defense under the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense, and is designated as a Combat Support Agency pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 193 (reference (a)). The NIMA is an agency within the Intelligence Community in accordance with 50 U.S.C. 401a(4)(E) (reference (b)) and E.O. 12333 (reference (c)). The Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence (ASD(C3I)) exercises overall supervision over the NIMA pursuant to Section 192 of reference (a); however, all substantive intelligence produced by the NIMA shall be submitted directly to the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense and, as appropriate, to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the DCI. The NIMA shall consist of a Director, and such subordinate organizational elements as the Director establishes within the resources made available. The Director, if a military officer, shall carry the grade of lieutenant general, or, in the case of the Navy, vice admiral.

F. RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNCTIONS

The Director, NIMA, advises the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense, the ASD(C3I), the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Combatant Commanders, and, for national intelligence purposes, the DCI and other Federal Government officials, on imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information; and supports the imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial requirements of the Departments and Agencies of the Federal Government, to the extent provided by law. In the exercise of these responsibilities, the Director, NIMA, shall:

1. Organize, direct, and manage the NIMA and all assigned resources.

2. Provide responsive imagery, imagery intelligence and geospatial information products, support, services, and information (to include the coordination of imagery collection requirements, national tasking, processing, exploitation, and dissemination) to the DoD Components, and, for national intelligence purposes, to the DCI, the non-DoD members of the Intelligence Community, the National Security Council, and other Federal Government Departments and Agencies.

3. Manage imagery and geospatial analysis and production.

4. Manage the tasking of and task national collection operations in accordance with Section 442 of reference (a), Section 403-5(b)(2) of reference (b), and E.O. 12333 (reference (c)), and consistent with the DCI's collection tasking authority under Section 441(c) of reference (a), Section 402 et seq. of reference (b), reference (c), and DoD Directive S-3325.2 (reference (g)), as follows:

- a. Developing and consolidating geospatial information requirements and national imagery collection requirements.

- b. Supporting the imagery requirements of the Department of State and other non-DoD Agencies, in accordance with the requirements and priorities established by the DCI.

c. Tasking DoD imagery collection elements to meet national intelligence requirements and priorities, as established by the DCI, except as noted in paragraph F.6., below.

d. Advising DoD imagery collection elements on the collection of imagery to meet non-national intelligence requirements.

5. Establish and/or consolidate DoD geospatial information data collection requirements and collecting or tasking other DoD Components to collect and provide necessary data, except as noted in paragraph F.6., below.

6. Provide advisory tasking for theater and tactical assets, including advising imagery collection elements on collection of imagery to meet national intelligence requirements when the collection elements are both assigned to or under the operational control of the Secretary of a Military Department or the Commander of a Combatant Command, and not allocated by the Secretary of Defense to meet national intelligence requirements.

7. Disseminate or ensure the dissemination of imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information by the most efficient and expeditious means consistent with DoD and DCI security requirements.

8. Serve as the Program Manager for the National Imagery and Mapping Program, a program within the National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP), for activities within the NIMA, and as Program Manager for the Defense Imagery and Mapping Program within the DoD Joint Military Intelligence Program (JMIP).

9. Serve as the Functional Manager for imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial investment activities which include RDT&E and procurement initiatives within the NFIP, JMIP, and the Tactical Intelligence and Related Activities (TIARA) aggregate.

10. Develop and make recommendations on national and non-national policy for imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information, including as it relates to international matters, for the approval of appropriate Federal Government officials.

11. Prescribe and mandate standards and end-to-end technical architectures related to imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information for the DoD Components and for the non-DoD elements of the Intelligence Community, in accordance with Section 442 of reference (a), and Sections 402 et seq. and 403-5(b) of reference (b), to include:

a. Standards for end-to-end architectures related to imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information.

b. Standards for geospatial information products produced within DoD in accordance with DoD 4120.3-M (reference (h)).

c. Standards for career programs for imagery analysts, cartographers, and related fields.

d Standards for training, programs and courses for advanced imagery analysts, cartographers, personnel performing imagery tasking, geospatial information collection, and imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information processing, exploitation, and dissemination functions, imagery-related functional management, and related fields.

e. Technical guidance and direction to all the DoD Components and the non-DoD members of the Intelligence Community regarding standardization and interoperability of systems requiring geospatial information or imagery support.

f. Technical guidance and direction to all the DoD Components and the non-DoD members of the Intelligence Community regarding standardization and interoperability of systems for exploitation and dissemination of imagery and imagery intelligence products and geospatial information.

12. Establish system and end-to-end architectures related to imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information, in compliance with National and Defense Information Infrastructure guidance and standards in accordance with 10 U.S.C. 442 (reference (a)) and 50 U.S.C. 402 et seq. (reference (b)), by:

a. Performing or directing the research, design, development, deployment operation and maintenance of systems related to the processing, dissemination, and archiving of imagery (including tasking, processing, exploitation, and dissemination), imagery intelligence, and geospatial information.

b. Transferring or otherwise providing such systems to the DoD Components and to other Federal Government Agencies, as appropriate.

c. Developing and fielding systems of common concern related to imagery intelligence and geospatial information.

13. Evaluate the performance of imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information components of the Department of Defense in meeting national and military intelligence requirements. To the extent authorized by the DCI, evaluate the performance of the non-DoD Departments or Agencies of the Intelligence Community having imagery or geospatial information tasking, collection, processing, exploitation, and dissemination functions, in meeting national and non-national intelligence requirements. Report evaluation results annually to the Secretary of Defense, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and the DCI. Define and recommend cooperative production and dissemination arrangements for the performance of imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information components of the Department of Defense and the Intelligence Community to support wartime and emergency operations.

14. Coordinate efforts of the DoD Components to provide their Tactical Impact Statements to the Congress on the ability of proposed national systems to satisfy tactical requirements.

15. Review and respond to the imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information requirements and priorities for military operations, in

support of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Combatant Commanders.

16. Develop and submit to the Secretary of Defense a consolidated statement of the geospatial information production requirements and priorities in accordance with the National Military Strategy and the national security objectives of the United States.

17. Review and validate the national reconnaissance imagery and imagery intelligence requirements and priorities for national customers, and develop and submit to the DCI a consolidated statement of these imagery and imagery intelligence requirements and priorities in accordance with policies and procedures established by the DCI.

18. Manage the national archive of national and appropriate tactical imagery, imagery products, and geospatial information.

19. Exercise imagery and geospatial information systems for responsiveness and support to military forces in preparation for wartime and emergency operations.

20. In accordance with the DoD Plan for Peacetime Use of Reserve Component Intelligence Elements, dated December 21, 1994, identify imagery, and imagery intelligence tasks, products, support services, and information requirements that can appropriately be satisfied from within the Military Services' Reserve Forces. In coordination with the Defense Intelligence Agency and the Military Services, establish the capability to conduct mission tasking and mission management of Reserve Forces engaged in or capable of being engaged in these activities.

21. Develop policies and provide DoD participation in national and international imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information activities, in coordination with appropriate DoD officials for geospatial information activities and with the DCI for imagery activities and activities which involve an intelligence or security service of a foreign country. Represent the Department of Defense in national and international geospatial information standardization activities. Execute DoD responsibilities under interagency and international geospatial information agreements.

22. Protect intelligence sources and methods from unauthorized disclosure pursuant to guidance received from the DCI in accordance with the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C., reference (b)), E.O. 12333 (reference (c)), PDD NSTC-8 (reference (i)), E.O. 12951 (reference (j)), and E.O. 12958 (reference (k)).

23. Advise the Secretary of Defense and the DCI on future needs for imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information capabilities and systems, as appropriate.

24. Provide staff advice and assistance on imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information related matters to the DoD Components and other Federal Government Departments and Agencies, as appropriate.

25. Serve as the sole DoD action agency for all purchases of commercial and foreign government-owned imagery-related remote sensing data by the DoD Components. Serve as the primary action agency for such purchases by any other Federal Department or Agency, on request.

26. Advise the Defense Acquisition Board, the Defense Science Board, the Joint Space Management Board, and other DoD boards on imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information issues, as appropriate.

27. Identify and analyze the industrial base, as appropriate, to meet essential customer imagery requirements and to ensure industrial base impacts on NIMA functions are considered. Assess the applicability of evolving commercial capabilities to meet imagery and geospatial information needs of the Department of Defense and the Intelligence Community.

28. Establish and maintain a NIMA Joint Manpower Program that will be reviewed annually by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

29. Serve as the DoD Modeling and Simulation Management Executive Agent for Terrain, managing and overseeing all aspects of DoD modeling and simulation related to the authoritative representation of terrain, including both data and the dynamic process models describing related natural and man-made effects, in accordance with DoD 5000.59-P (reference (1)).

30. Protect the security of NIMA installations, activities, property, information, and employees by all appropriate means in accordance with statute and DoD regulations.

31. Consistent with DoD and DCI policies, promulgate procedures and instructions for imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information and related matters to the Department of Defense, as necessary, including publication of handbooks for the exploitation, analysis, dissemination and release of imagery, imagery-derived products, and geospatial information.

32. Establish a Chief Information Officer, with responsibilities and functions as provided in Division E of Pub.L. 104-106 (1996) (reference (m)).

33. Perform such other functions as the Secretary of Defense may direct.

G. RELATIONSHIPS

1. In performing assigned functions, the Director, NIMA, subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense and the overall supervision of the ASD(C3I), shall:

a. Be responsible to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff for matters affecting the Chairman's responsibilities under Title 10 U.S.C. (reference (a)), especially requirements associated with the joint planning process, and for matters affecting the missions and responsibilities of the Combatant Commanders. For these purposes, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff is authorized to communicate directly with, and task, the Director, NIMA.

b. Exchange information and advice and coordinate actions with the Heads of the other DoD Components having collateral or related functions, as appropriate.

c. Maintain liaison with Executive Branch organizations on imagery and geospatial matters, as appropriate.

d. To the extent permitted by law, use established facilities and services of the Department of Defense or other Federal Government Departments or Agencies, whenever practicable, to avoid duplication and achieve an appropriate balance of modernization, efficiency, and economy of operations. Special emphasis should be placed on maximizing use of existing personnel, facilities, and services of the DoD Intelligence Components, and, to the extent authorized by the DCI, the Central Intelligence Agency.

2. The Heads of the DoD Components shall:

a. Provide assistance and support to the Director, NIMA, in their respective fields of responsibility and within available resources, as may be necessary to carry out functions assigned to the NIMA.

b. Ensure compliance with taskings issued by the Director, NIMA, pursuant to this Directive.

c. Submit imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial collection and production requirements to the Director, NIMA, in accordance with procedures established by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

d. Coordinate with the Director, NIMA, on all matters concerning the mission, capabilities, functions, and operations of the NIMA.

3. The Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff shall review and assess the responsiveness and readiness of the NIMA to support operating forces in the event of a war or threat to national security and make any recommendations the Chairman considers appropriate, in accordance with Section 193 of 10 U.S.C. (reference (a)).

H. AUTHORITY

1. The ASD(C3I) is delegated the authority to issue Instructions to the DoD Components to implement this Directive. Instructions to the Military Departments shall be issued through the Secretaries of the Military Departments. Instructions to the Combatant Commanders shall be issued through the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

2. The Director, NIMA, is specifically delegated authority to:

a. Obtain reports, information, advice, and assistance, consistent with DoD Directive 4630.5 (reference (n)) and DoD Directive 8910.1 (reference (o)), as necessary, to carry out assigned functions.

b. Communicate directly with the heads of the DoD Components, the Intelligence Community, and other Federal Government Departments and Agencies, as necessary, to carry out assigned functions. Communications to the

Combatant Commanders shall be coordinated, as appropriate, with the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

c. Exercise functional oversight over the United States Imagery System (USIS) and the Geospatial Information Infrastructure (GII); such oversight shall include the requisite technical oversight authority over the tactical elements of the USIS and GII to ensure interoperability between existing and future USIS and GII systems, connectivity between national and tactical systems, and modernization of tactical systems.

d. Exercise the administrative authorities in enclosure 3.

3. The Director, NIMA, shall exercise the authorities and responsibilities of a Senior Official of the Intelligence Community pursuant to the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C., reference (b)), E.O. 12333 (reference (c)), and the NIMA Act of 1996 (reference (d)).

I. ADMINISTRATION

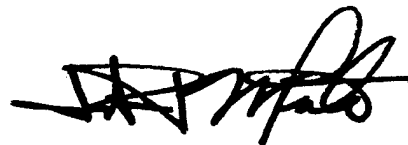
1. The Director, NIMA, shall be appointed and evaluated by the Secretary of Defense in accordance with 10 U.S.C. 201 (reference (a)).

2. The Military Departments shall assign military personnel to the NIMA in accordance with approved Joint Manpower Program authorizations and procedures for assignment to joint duty. The Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff shall review NIMA joint staffing program requirements for those functions related to NIMA direct intelligence support to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and provide appropriate recommendations to the ASD(C3I).

3. The NIMA shall be authorized such personnel, facilities, funds, and other resources as the Secretary of Defense deems appropriate. The NIMA may obtain personnel, administrative, and contracting support from the Central Intelligence Agency, to the extent permitted by law and approved by the Secretary of Defense and the DCI.

J. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Directive is effective on October 1, 1996.



John P. White
Deputy Secretary of Defense

Enclosures - 3

1. References
2. Definitions
3. Delegations of Authority

REFERENCES continued

- (e) DoD Directive 5105.40, "Defense Mapping Agency (DMA)," December 6, 1990 (hereby canceled)
- (f) DoD Directive 5105.56, "Central Imagery Office (CIO)," October 23, 1995 (hereby canceled)
- (g) DoD Directive S-3325.2, "Transfer of National Intelligence Collection Tasking Authority (U)," June 18, 1987
- (h) DoD 4120.3-M, "Defense Standardization Program (DSP) Policies and Procedures," July 1993, authorized by DoD 5000.2-R, March 15, 1996
- (i) Presidential Decision Directive NSTC-8, "National Space Policy (U)," September 14, 1996
- (j) Executive Order 12951, "Release of Imagery Acquired by Space Based National Intelligence Reconnaissance Systems," February 22, 1995
- (k) Executive Order 12958, "Classified National Security Information," April 17, 1995
- (l) DoD 5000.59-P, "Modeling and Simulation (M&S) Master Plan," October 1995, authorized by DoD Directive 5000.59, January 4, 1994
- (m) Public Law 104-106, "National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1996," February 10, 1996
- (n) DoD Directive 4630.5, "Compatibility, Interoperability, and Integration of Command, Control, Communications, and Intelligence (C3I) Systems," November 12, 1992
- (o) DoD Directive 8910.1, "Management and Control of Information Requirements," June 11, 1993

DEFINITIONS

1. Advisory Tasking. The submission of national requirements for collection, as appropriate, by theater and tactical reconnaissance platforms.

2. Functional Management.

a. The review of and coordination on investment activities related to imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial information, which includes RDT&E, and procurement activities within the NFIP, JMIP, and TIARA aggregate. Review includes imagery-related fiscal and personnel resources, Program Objective Memoranda and budget submissions to affect resource allocation decisions and assure compliance with architecture, equipment, and data and related standards and policy, in accordance with Section 105(b)(2) of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.) (reference (b)), as amended.

b. Provision of program planning and resource guidance to the DoD Components for the development of inputs to the Planning, Programming, and Budgeting System and to the Intelligence Community agencies for inputs to the Capabilities Programming and Budgeting System.

3. Geospatial Information. Information that identifies the geographic location and characteristics of natural or constructed features and boundaries on the earth, including: statistical data; information derived from, among other things, remote sensing, mapping, and surveying technologies; and mapping, charting and geodetic data, including "geodetic products," as that term is used in Chapter 167 of 10 U.S.C. (reference (a)).

4. Geospatial Information Infrastructure. The collection of technology, policies, standards, capabilities, services, and doctrine necessary to produce, maintain, disseminate, and exploit geospatial information. This includes the links between global geospatial information and sophisticated geographic information system technologies that allow desktop import and export of geospatial data sets; that assure interactive and reliable data manipulation, update, and value adding; and that encourage dissemination through the use of electronic gateways and networks.

5. Imagery. A likeness or representation of any natural or man-made feature or related object or activity and the positional data acquired at the same time the likeness or representation was acquired, including products produced by space-based national intelligence reconnaissance systems, and likenesses or representations produced by satellites, airborne platforms, unmanned aerial vehicles, or other similar means (except that such term does not include handheld or clandestine photography taken by or on behalf of human intelligence collection organizations).

6. Imagery Intelligence. The technical, geographic, and intelligence information derived through the interpretation or analysis of imagery and collateral materials.

7. Imagery Related or End-to-End Architectures. The means by which imagery-related information flows from the collectors and producers to the customers. The term includes guiding principles, design concepts, standards,

capabilities, customer feedback, and relationships of imagery-related organizations and systems.

8. Intelligence Community. Has the same meaning as in Executive Order 12333 (reference (c)) and Section 3 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.) (reference (b)), as amended.

9. Defense Imagery and Mapping Program (DIMP). Imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial fiscal and personnel resources program, for which the Director, NIMA is Program Manager, of the DoD Joint Military Intelligence Program (JMIP). (Formerly the Defense Imagery Program and the Defense Mapping, Charting, and Geodesy Program in the JMIP.)

10. Mapping, Charting, and Geodetic Data. Comprises the collection, transformation, generation, dissemination, and storing of geodetic, geomagnetic, gravimetric, aeronautical, topographic, hydrographic, cultural, and toponymic data. These data may be presented in the form of topographic, planimetric, relief, or thematic maps and graphics; nautical and aeronautical charts and publications; and in simulated, photographic, digital, or computerized formats. Has the same meaning as mapping, charting and geodesy.

11. National Imagery and Mapping Program (NIMP). Imagery, imagery intelligence, and geospatial fiscal and personnel resources program, within the National Foreign Intelligence Program, for which the Director, NIMA, is Program Manager.

12. United States Imagery System (USIS). All of the imagery capabilities of the United States Government (USG) as well as all the imagery, imagery data, and imagery-derived products produced by or for the USG. It includes the functional areas of requirements and needs management, collection, processing, exploitation, production, and dissemination.

DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense, and subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of Defense, and in accordance with DoD policies, Directives, and Instructions, the Director, NIMA, or, in the absence of the Director, the person acting for the Director, is hereby delegated authority as required in the administration and operation of the NIMA to:

1. Exercise the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by 5 U.S.C. 301, 302(b), 3101 and 5107, and Chapter 83 of 10 U.S.C., as amended, on the employment, direction, and general administration of NIMA civilian personnel.
2. Fix rates of pay for wage-rate employees exempted from the Classification Act of 1949 by 5 U.S.C. 5102 on the basis of rates established under the Coordinated Federal Wage System. In fixing such rates, the Director, NIMA, shall follow the wage schedule established by the DoD Wage Fixing Authority.
3. Administer oaths of office to those entering the Executive Branch of the Federal Government or any other oath required by law in connection with employment therein, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 2903, and designate in writing, as may be necessary, officers and employees of the NIMA to perform this function.
4. Maintain an official seal and attest to the authenticity of official NIMA records under that seal.
5. Establish a NIMA Incentive Awards Board, and pay cash awards to, and incur necessary expenses for, the honorary recognition of civilian employees of the Government whose suggestions, inventions, superior accomplishments, or other personal efforts, including special acts or services, benefit or affect the NIMA, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4503, Office of Personnel Management (OPM) regulations, and DoD Directive 5120.15, "Authority for Approval of Cash Honorary Awards for DoD Personnel," August 13, 1985.
6. Act as agent for the collection and payment of employment taxes imposed by appropriate statutes.
7. Establish advisory committees and employ temporary or intermittent experts or consultants, as approved by the Secretary of Defense, for the performance of NIMA functions consistent with 10 U.S.C. 173, 5 U.S.C. 3109(b), and DoD Directive 5105.4, "Department of Defense Federal Advisory Committee Management Program," September 5, 1989.
8. In accordance with Executive Orders 10450, 12333, 12958, 12968, and DoD Directive 5200.2, "Department of Defense Personnel Security Program," May 6, 1992, as appropriate:
 - a. Designate any position in the NIMA as a "sensitive" position.
 - b. Authorize, in the case of an emergency, the appointment of a person to a sensitive position in the NIMA for a limited period of time and for whom

a full field investigation or other appropriate investigation, including the National Agency Check, has not been completed.

c. Initiate personnel security investigations and, if necessary in the interest of national security, suspend a security clearance for personnel assigned, detailed to, or employed by the NIMA. Any action under this paragraph shall be taken in accordance with procedures prescribed in DoD 5200.2-R, "Department of Defense Personnel Security Program," January 1987.

9. Authorize and approve:

a. Temporary duty travel for military personnel assigned or detailed to the NIMA in accordance with Joint Federal Travel Regulations, Volume I, "Uniformed Service Members."

b. Travel for NIMA civilian employees in accordance with Joint Travel Regulations, Volume 2, "DoD Civilian Personnel."

c. Invitational travel to non-DoD personnel whose consultative, advisory, or other highly specialized technical services are required in a capacity that is directly related to, or in connection with, NIMA activities, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 5703 and Joint Travel Regulations, Volume 2, "DoD Civilian Personnel."

d. Overtime work for NIMA civilian employees in accordance with 5 U.S.C. Chapter 55, Subchapter V, and applicable OPM regulations.

10. Approve the expenditure of funds available for travel by military personnel assigned or detailed to the NIMA for expenses incident to attendance at meetings of technical, scientific, professional, or other similar organizations in such instances when the approval of the Secretary of Defense, or designee, is required by 37 U.S.C. 412, and 5 U.S.C. 4110 and 4111.

11. Develop, establish, and maintain an active and continuing Records Management Program, pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 3102 and DoD Directive 5015.2, "Records Management Program," March 22, 1991.

12. Authorize the publication of advertisements, notices, or proposals in newspapers, magazines, or other public periodicals, as required for the effective administration and operation of the NIMA, consistent with 44 U.S.C. 3702.

13. Establish and maintain, for the functions assigned, an appropriate publications system for the promulgation of common supply and service regulations, instructions, and reference documents, and changes thereto, pursuant to the policies and procedures described in DoD 5025.1-M, "DoD Directives System Procedures," August 1994.

14. Enter into support and service agreements with the Military Departments, other DoD Components, or other Federal Government Agencies, as required, for the effective performance of NIMA responsibilities and functions.

15. Enter into and administer contracts, directly or through a Military Department, a DoD contract administration services component, or other Federal

Agency, as appropriate, for supplies, equipment, and services required to accomplish the mission of the NIMA. To the extent that any law or Executive order specifically limits the exercise of such authority to persons at the Secretarial level of a Military Department, such authority shall be exercised by the appropriate Under Secretary or Assistant Secretary of Defense.

16. Exercise the authority delegated to the Secretary of Defense by the Administrator of the General Services Administration on the disposal of surplus personal property.

17. Promulgate the necessary security regulations for the protection of property and places under the jurisdiction of the Director, NIMA, pursuant to DoD Directive 5200.8, "Security of DoD Installations and Resources," April 25, 1991.

18. Establish and maintain appropriate property accounts for NIMA and appoint Boards of Survey, approve reports of survey, relieve personal liability, and drop accountability for NIMA property contained in the authorized property accounts that has been lost, damaged, stolen, destroyed, or otherwise rendered unserviceable, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

19. Sell maps, charts, and other publications to the public at prices and under regulations that may be prescribed by the Secretary of Defense, under 10 U.S.C. 453.

20. Execute responsibilities of 10 U.S.C. 454 relating to international agreements.

21. Withhold from sale and public disclosure geospatial information, including maps, charts, and other geodetic products, restricted by international agreement, revealing sensitive sources and methods used to obtain source material for production of the geospatial information, or jeopardize or interfere with ongoing military or intelligence operations or reveal military operational or contingency plans, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 455.

22. Lease non-excess property under the control of the NIMA, under terms that will promote the national defense or that will be in the public interest, under 10 U.S.C. 2667.

23. Administer DoD and DCI security policies and programs within the NIMA.

24. Serve as the Designated Approving Authority for NIMA automated information systems and networks for less than Acquisition Category (ACAT) 1A programs, or serve as the milestone decision authority (MDA) for ACAT 1A programs when delegated by the ASD(C3I). The Director, NIMA, shall exercise delegated MDA in accordance with DoD Directive 5000.1, "Defense Acquisition," March 15, 1996 and DoD 5000.2-R, "Mandatory Procedures for Major Defense Acquisition Programs and Major Automated Information System Acquisition Programs," March 1996.

The Director, NIMA, may redelegate these authorities, as appropriate, and in writing, except as otherwise provided by law or regulation.

These delegations of authority are effective immediately.